

**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
Washington, DC 20515-3214

April 27, 2022

Dear Chair Rosa DeLauro and Ranking Member Tom Cole:

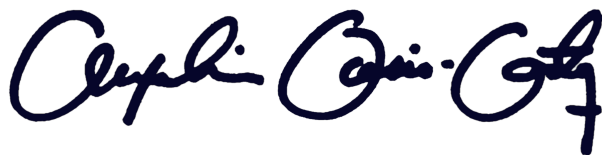
I am requesting funding for the Adult Literacy Services for Immigrant New Yorkers project for fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Make the Road New York located at 301 Grove Street, Brooklyn, NY 11237.

The funding would be used to sustain and enhance Adult Literacy programming for low-income, immigrant communities in Queens. In addition to high quality ESOL and Civics instruction students will be assessed for and connected to MRNY's holistic survival services. This funding will also enable MRNY to purchase new technology to meet rapidly growing needs for digital literacy instruction that have accelerated during the pandemic, including laptops for student use in classes.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark blue ink, reading "Alex Ocasio-Cortez". The signature is stylized and cursive.

Representative Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez  
Member of Congress